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## GENERAL NEWS.

Judging from an account we lately read of the way the fashionables enjoy themselves at Newport, we incline to the belief that people of quiet tastes and habits have little business at a notable watering place. It is pretty evident that the majority of people who go to these fashionable resorts do not go for bathing and health, but merely to frolic, flirt, and spend money. The chief ambition of the young ladies seems to be directed "to eclipsing" each other.

Adjutant General Thomas estimates the present strength of the negro troops now in service at a little less than one hundred thousand men. Just previous to the close of the war these troops numbered about one hundred and ten thousand men, which has been reduced by the discharge.

A letter from Paris says: "We have had our dog show, and we are now to have our insect show."

A monument to the memory of the late John McDonough, of Baltimore, was dedicated on Monday at Greenmount Cemetery. In that city, with appropriate services, and an eloquent address delivered by J. H. B. Latrobe, Esq.

Friday was the eighty-seventh birthday of Rear Admiral Charles Stewart, who was born in Philadelphia, July 28, 1778, just after the evacuation of the city by the British. His original entry into the navy was on the 9th of March, 1798, so that he has been over sixty-seven years in the service. He is still active and hearty.

Among the last literary labors of the late Cardinal Wiseman was an Essay on Shakespeare and his Works—the extracts from which show that it is a very brilliant and able production.

General Sherman's last speech at Indianapolis, contains several important declarations.—One is, that he "will never, never, accept civil office, and never again draw his sword in anger."

North Carolina, the Newbern Times says, will, during the present year, want at least, two hundred thousand dollars' worth of plows, and as many more of the various implements necessary for successful farming. To these add one hundred thousand more for carriages, wagons, &c. Then it will require fifty thousand to supply wooden ware, such as tubs, buckets, pails, barrels, &c., and fifty thousand more to supply candles and soap, while two hundred thousand will hardly be sufficient to furnish shoes for the population.

Cotton is coming into Charleston from the interior more freely than heretofore, as the result of additional repairs to the railroads. General Hatch has given notice to the newspaper fraternity that those of them desirous of commencing the issue of public journals in the district of Charleston must obtain his consent before they can proceed with their enterprise.

A dispatch from Heart's Content, N. F., dated August 1, says that crowds are arriving there to witness the landing of the Atlantic cable. The weather is unprecedentedly fine. The Great Eastern was to leave Valencia on Monday morning, July 24. The favorable weather encourages the hope that the cable across the Gulf of St. Lawrence will be got in working order in a day or two.

Riversdale, the great fruit estate of Colonel Edward Watkins, is in Kent county, Md.—The entire orchards contain about 78,000 growing trees—38,000 bearing this year. There were gathered last year from these trees about 80,000 boxes of fruit, which were either sent to market or converted into brandy.

## Groceries, &c.

**GEORGE E. WHITE & CO.,**  
Liberty Hall,  
89 and 91, CAMERON STREET.  
And Warehouse,  
Corner of Wilkes and Royal streets,  
Alexandria, Va.  
For the sale of  
GUANO, GRAIN, HAY AND FEED.  
Offer for sale ALE, in barrels and half-barrels, from the favorite Washington Brewery, always on hand, and daily received. LAGER BEER, in the usual packages. GROCERIES of every variety, and at lowest prices. Flour, Hay, Grain and Feed in every variety.  
Rags, Iron, Bottles, Hay, Grain, Sumac, Butter, and Eggs always purchased at market prices.  
jy 26—tf

**JOHN S. KNOX, Jr.,**  
(Formerly Knox & Bro.)  
FORWARDING AND COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
No. 10, Union street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Country Produce Bought and Sold.  
jy 26—tf

**J. T. SHERWOOD'S**  
FAMILY GROCERY,  
AND PROVISION STORE,  
Corner of Queen and St. Asaph Sts.,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.,  
jy 12—tf

## JUST RECEIVED.

A lot of choice green, black, and Japan TEAS. Stabler's Canned Peaches, very choice; Canned Strawberries, this season's fruit; Virgins and Marseilles SALAD OIL; Crushed, Granulated, Powdered, A, B, & C, SUGARS; Choice Porto Rico do.  
Nos. 1, 2, & 3 Mackerel in barrels and kets; Potomac and Scotch HERRINGS; Choice Family and Extra FLOUR, in bbls. and bags; Self raising Flour; Pure Spices; Mustard; Flavoring Extracts; Currants; Raisins; Citron; Jenkin's dried BEEF, pure Ground Coffee; Rice, &c. All of which will be sold as low as the lowest.  
JOSEPH T. JANNEY,  
Corner of Prince and Pitt sts.  
je 24—tf

## NEW FIRM.

**SUSS & HANSEN,**  
COMMISSION MERCHANTS.  
Dealers in Imported  
WINES, LIQUORS, SEGARS, &c.,  
Have opened at  
NO. 18, ROYAL STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
Having always on hand a SUPERIOR STOCK, at lowest prices, we feel confident that we will give satisfaction, and would respectfully invite our friends and the public, to give us a call.  
je 27—3m

**HENDERSON BROS.,**  
Dealers in  
**Groceries & Provisions**  
No. 226 King street, corner of Alfred,  
Have constantly on hand, and daily receiving a large and well selected stock of choice FAMILY GROCERIES & PROVISIONS, of all kinds to which they invite the attention of their friends and the public in general.  
feb 7—tf

**E. M. WALTON & CO.,**  
No. 33 KING ST., CORNER OF WATER ST  
Sole Agents for the Sale of  
**P. VALENTINE & SONS**  
CELEBRATED NEWARK ALE  
To which they invite attention  
jan 3—tf

**NOTICE.**—The undersigned has this day resumed the Wholesale and Retail GROCERY BUSINESS, at the corner of King and Water streets, and is now receiving a large and general assortment of CHOICE GOODS, which he is prepared to sell as low as any house in the city, and hopes from his experience to merit a share of public patronage.  
my 24—tf J. E. DOUGLASS.

## LIQUORS.

25 Bbls Whisky, some very superior  
5 " Domestic Brandy.  
5 " Domestic Gin.  
For sale low by **BREWIS & DAVIS.**  
jy 13—tf

**DAVY & HARMON,**  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL  
**Grocers, Feed and Flour Merchants.**  
Corner of Prince and Royal Sts.,  
jan 19—ly ALEXANDRIA, VA.

**GREGORY & PAUL,**  
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN  
**GROCERIES, FLOUR AND BACON.**  
Nos. 27 and 29, King street,  
my 1—3m ALEXANDRIA, VA.

**GROCERIES.**  
5 hhd. P. R., 5 hhd. Cuba Sugars, and a general assortment of GROCERIES, for sale by  
**NATHANIEL BOUSH, & CO.**  
No. 3 Strand,  
je 24—tf

## Financial.

**FIRST NATIONAL BANK—**  
Corner of Prince and Water Streets.  
**Government Bonds,**  
5 PER CENT TREASURY NOTES,  
QUARTERMASTERS' CHECKS  
AND  
CERTIFICATES OF INDEBTEDNESS.  
BOUGHT.  
SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE  
**7 3-10 LOAN.**  
**REVENUE STAMPS FOR SALE.**  
Collections made on all parts of the United States.  
Drafts on Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York.  
**EXCHANGE ON EUROPE.**  
Gold, Silver, and Bank Notes bought and sold.  
feb 9—tf

**JOHN W. BURKE,**  
BROKER,  
No. 29, N. E. Corner King and Water sts.,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
7.30 U. S. BONDS FOR SALE.  
GOLD, SILVER,  
GOVERNMENT CERTIFICATES,  
AND UNCURRENT FUNDS,  
Bought and Sold.  
COLLECTIONS made on all accessible points, and STOCKS bought and sold on commission.  
ie 21—tf

## FOR SALE.

\$3,000 VIRGINIA STOCK. Apply at First National Bank.  
je 24—tf

## REAL ESTATE AGENCY.

All kinds of Real Estate in Virginia bought and sold.  
Messrs. HILL & TUCKER, No. 125 King street, Alexandria, have constantly on hand farms and town property for sale in all parts of the State.  
They are also authorized to purchase real estate anywhere and in any quantities, on the best market terms.  
jy 5—tf

## Professional.

**DR. C. W. CHANCELLOR,**  
Has resumed the practice of his profession in this city. Office at the residence of Dr. F. G. Murphy, corner of Duke and Fairfax sts.  
jy 22—tf

## A CARD.

**DR. M. M. LEWIS,**  
Offers his professional services to the citizens of Alexandria and vicinity.  
Office hours, from 1 to 3 p. m. Office corner Washington and Cameron sts. jy 3—tf

**J. EDWARD CHASE,**  
DENTAL SURGEON,  
Office over Dr. Stabler's Drug store, corner of King and Washington sts., Alexandria Va.  
je 23—tf

**DR. J. M. GAINES,**  
Has resumed the practice of Medicine and Surgery in Alexandria, Va. He may be found at the residence of Rev. C. C. Birting, corner of King and Patrick sts.  
jy 6—3m

**DR. T. S. WEST.**  
Office—N. W. corner of King and Fairfax sts.  
my 30—tf (up stairs.)

**REUBEN JOHNSTON.** **WILLIAM F. CARNE**  
**JOHNSTON & CARNE,**

**ATTORNEYS AT LAW.**  
Office at the Auditor's Office, Market Building. Attend to all business in the Courts of Alexandria and Fairfax Counties.  
je 7—tf

**D. L. SMOOT,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW.  
Office, over the old Market House, adjoining the Magistrates' office.  
je 6—dtf

## PHILADELPHIA HOUSE.

NOS. 5 and 7, SOUTH ROYAL STREET, ALEXANDRIA,  
(Formerly Cottage Headquarters.)  
The undersigned would respectfully announce to his friends and the public generally, that he has taken the above named house, which, for location and convenience, is not excelled by any hotel in the city. Thankful for past favors, he solicits a continuance of the generous and liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him.  
Daily and weekly BOARDERS taken on the most reasonable terms.  
MEALS at all hours. The best PHILADELPHIA ALE and LAGER BEER always kept on hand.  
My TABLE will always be supplied with the best the market affords.  
A LADIES ORDINARY is attached to this house, with courteous and attentive waiters always in attendance.  
mh 13—tf **GEORGE W. FORTNER.**

## For Sale and Rent.

### DESIRABLE RESIDENCE AT PRIVATE SALE.

The subscriber offers at Private Sale her residence with the ground attached thereto, situated at Fairfax Court House, Va. The improvements consist of a large and well finished FRAME BUILDING, in good repair, a never failing well of the best water, shade and ornament trees, necessary out building, with two acres of highly improved land.  
Persons desirous of seeing the premises will call on A. Broadwater, who will give all needed information, relative to terms &c.  
N. B. The above property is offered FOR RENT, by the month, until sold.  
MARTHA A. MOSS.  
Fairfax co., Va., July 27—2w\*

### FOR SALE.

The THREE STORY BRICK BUILDING, north of the Canal Basin, at the corner of First and Royal streets, formerly occupied by me, as a Grocery and Feed store. This valuable property is convenient to the Coal Wharf, and presents many inducements to business men, especially in view of the re-opening of the Alexandria Canal. It would be well calculated for Manufacturing purposes, or for a Grocery store, the city extending in that direction. Persons wishing to make an investment likely to be profitable, can examine the property and see for themselves. It will be sold on advantageous terms. Apply to the Gazette office. Title indisputable.  
N. HICKS,  
jy 20—2w\* Cor. of Duke and Water sts.

### OAK GROVE FOR SALE.

I will sell on accommodating terms the above property, containing about 17 acres. The improvements consist of a Brick Dwelling, with Barn and other improvements. The situation of the above property; its proximity to Alexandria and Washington, being only about two miles and a half from the former city, with its noted healthfulness and other advantages, render it very desirable as a place of residence. For terms and other information enquire of Robt L. Wood, Alexandria.  
jy 14—1m\* A. LOCKWOOD.

### VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.

I offer for sale, a Two Story BRICK DWELLING house, on Union street, between Duke and Wolfe streets, on a lot 25 feet front, and 115 deep. Also,  
A BRICK HOUSE, formerly used by me as my Block and Pump factory, but which can be converted into other uses, on Union between Duke and Wolfe streets—on a lot 30 feet front and 26 feet 7 inches deep, with a 12 feet alley, on the south side.  
This is valuable property, and could be made available for many purposes. I offer it for sale at a reasonable rate. Persons wishing to purchase can apply to me, for terms, &c.  
ROBERT JACKSON,  
jy 1—1m\* Union Street.

### TRUSTEE'S SALE OF LAND IN FAIRFAX CO.

By virtue of a deed of trust executed to me by Charles Demming and Eliza Jane, his wife, dated 8th day of September, 1858, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 17th day of July, 1865, (Fairfax county court day) in front of the Sheriff's Office of Fairfax county, at West End, A TRACT OF LAND, containing eighty-three acres, being part of the "Winter Hill" tract, lying on the North side of the Middle turnpike road, near Williams' toll gate.  
WM. H. DULANY, Trustee.  
je 17—2awtd

The above sale is postponed until Monday, the 21st day of August, when it will take place at Fairfax Court House at the hour above mentioned.  
W. H. DULANY, Trustee.  
jy 17—td

### VALUABLE LAND NEAR ALEXANDRIA FOR SALE.

I have for sale, low and on convenient terms, a TRACT of about 320 ACRES of LAND in Fairfax county, about six miles from Alexandria, lying between the Little River Turnpike and the Orange Railroad, and bounded by the Manassas Railroad extension, and the lands of Edsall, Cowling, and others. There is a considerable quantity of wood on the land. This is believed to be the cheapest land in this vicinity, considering the advantages.  
R. JOHNSTON.  
my 12—tf

### FOR SALE.

TWO FINE BUILDING LOTS, near the corner of King and Water streets. The lots are forty feet each front, and one hundred and fifty feet deep. On one of the lots there is a large warehouse, at present occupied as a Coach Factory. Apply to  
HENRY COOK,  
my 20—tf 39, King Street.

FOR RENT.—A first rate and commodious STORE, the property of Isaac George's estate, known as No. 179 King street. For information apply to J. C. CLARK, No. 125 King st. or 102 Queen street.  
jy 14—tf

### JUST RECEIVED.

A lot of Fresh Butter and Eggs; also a lot of Live Chickens from Loudoun County, Va.  
J. T. SHERWOOD,  
jy 10—tf cor. of Queen and St. Asaph sts.